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M. E. CONFERENCE

REV. HAMILTON RETURNS TO TO COVINGTON CHURCH

Bishop Atkins Shakes Up Memphis has been turned into the treasurer,

With the reading of appointments come in, but their succepit is assured. at the close of the greatest Memphis conference ever held in its 82 years of history, at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon, Rishop James Atkins shook up Memphis district from one end to the other with 15 changes, 11 of

appointed for the Covington station and Rev. W. W. Armstrong was reappointed presiding elder for the Dyersburg district, which includes in this county.

tor of the local church, was trans-ferred to the First Methodist church in Jackson, after in Jackson, after serving his quad-rennium in Mayfiel, Ky.

BAPTISTS EXTEND CALL

Rev. Robert A. Clark, who also served the First church here, was appointed pastor of the Union Avether First Baptist church Sunday nue church in Memphis, being re-

tistics show the present total mem- by wire or letter as to his acceptance bership of the Memphis conference or rejection of the call. to be 79,456, a gain of 291 over last Dr. Young is well known in this year: 2,806 adults and 798 infants city and is a native of Haywood baptized during the year. to be 79,456, a gain of 291 over last

conference was assessed by the Gen- served a large congregation in the eral Board of Missions, \$20,156.90 city of Detroit.
for foreign missions, \$6,529.70 for It is not known whether Dr. home missions, and \$13,000 for con- Young is in a position to consider

of \$8,764.13. After \$2,200 has been passed to the credit of the Memphis the subject the latter part of this conference, a balance of \$4,189.13 week. will be left in the hands of the general board.

The appointments for the Dyersburg and Brownsville districts were announced Monday afternoon as fol-

Dyersburg District-Presiding elder, W. W. Armstrong; Campground circuit, J. W. Joyner; Covington, First church, L. D. Hamilton; Covington, Second church and Pisgah, R. W. Newsom; Covington Circuit, S. R. Hart; Curve circuit, W. B. Ralph; Dyersburg station, J. V. Freeman; Dyersburg circuit, W. F. Harris; Finley circuit, E. E. Spears. Fowlkes circuit, F. R.Harper; Friendship circuit, J. A. Hassell; Gates cir-cuit, L. R .Wadsworth; Halls sta-tion, M. C. Yates; Henning and Durhamville, V. A. DeShazo; Mack cir-cuit, H. P. Lasley; Munford and Atoka, A. G. Melton; Newbern sta-T. G. Lowry: Newbern circuit. M. King; Randolph eircuit, W. H. Pearigen; Ridgeley station, McCaslin; Ridgeley circuit, O. Smith, supply, Ripley station, Cleanth Brooks; Ripley circuit, W. T. Garner; Tabernacle circuit, O. J. Rainey; Tiptonville station, F. A. Downs; Tip-tonville circuit, S. B. Morrison; student Yale University, H. R. Rose. Brownsville District—Presiding el-

der, F. H. Peenles; Alamo circuit. Albert C. Moore: Arlington circuit, J. H. Bass; Avondale mission, to be supplied; Bells and Providence, C. C. Newbill: Belmont circuit, E. S. Taylor, supply; Bolton circuit, B. S. Me-Lemore: Bradford circuit, E. L. Ledbetter; Brazil circuit, W. S. Lockman; Brownsville station, J. J. Thomas: R. H. Mahon, supernumerarv: Brownsville circuit, R. T. Fuz-zell: Clopton station, W. H. Collins; Crocket Mills circuit, S. T. Parham, supply: Danceyville circuit, Algie C. Moore; Dyer station, O. C. Wrather; Dyer circuit, J. M. Kendall; Gibson and Pleasant Hill, C. A. Riggs; Humboldt station, E. B. Ramsev: Maury City circuit, T. H. Davis; Milan station, C. E. Norman; Milan circuit, A. N. Walker: Stanton station, Yates Moore: Trenton station, W. D. Jen-kins; Trenton circuit, M. L. Davis.

G. W. Cobb, in the class of the third year, to the Baltimore Con-G. J. Evans, an elder, to the Texas

Transferred.

Carolina Conference.

North Arkansas Conference. C. A. Waterfield, an elder, to the county. Northwest Texas Conference,

The following were granted the B. Humphrey, D. C. Johnson, A. B. tor who succeeds Rev. J. W. Joyner. Sime arrived bere Wednesday morning to make a final settlement for street sunday afternoon at 2.30 strongest men and a most worthy be street improvement work recenting to make a final settlement for the street improvement work recenting to make a final settlement for the street improvement work recenting to make a final settlement for the street improvement work recenting to make a final settlement for the street improvement work recenting to make a final settlement for the street improvement work recenting to make a final settlement for the street improvement work recenting to make a final settlement for the street improvement work recenting to make a final settlement for the street improvement work recenting to make a final settlement for the street improvement work recenting to make a final settlement for the street improvement work recenting to make a final settlement for the street improvement work recenting to make a final settlement for the street improvement work recenting to make a final settlement for the street improvement work recenting to make a final settlement for the street improvement work recenting to make a final settlement for the street improvement work recenting to make a final settlement for the street improvement work recenting to make a final settlement for the street improvement work recenting to make a final settlement for the street improvement work recenting to make a final settlement for the street improvement work recenting to make a final settlement for the street sunday afternoon at 2.30 and the street improvement work recenting to make a final settlement for the street sunday afternoon at 2.30 and the st

Roll Call Falls Short of Quota

Much disappointment is felt by the leaders in the annual Red Cross Roll Call over the response. It is estimated that only 400 members have been secured, while only \$250.50 has been turned into the treasurer. District—Rev. Hart Remains On Mr. David Goddard. None of the Covington Circuit, While Rev. Joy. covington Circuit, While Rev. Joy.

ner Goes To Campground—List of
These Transferred — Myers and
Clark Changed.

braining flave been next been next to many in town have not yet rendered their reports. Detroit obtained their quota the first day and 'phoned for more buttons that they might enlist others. Their final renort has not

It is understood that in enewed efforts will be made by im committee to secure memberships. Workers will be placed on the square on Saturday to solicit. All whe have not yet renewed their memberships, or joined which affect the city of Memphis and the other four are in the suburbs and adjoining communities.

Quite a number of other changes were made throughout the conference area. Rev. L. D. Hamilton was re-Dyersburg district, which includes main in Tipton county to carry on the practically all the imethodist churches community work recently instituted. communty work recently instituted. This work is of benefit to Tipton

moved from the bishop's cabinet as presiding elder of the Union City district, which charge he has served for the past two years.

morning a call to the pastolate that church was extended to Dr. T. W. Young, D. D., of Columbia, Mo. As we go to press the officials of the local church inform us that Dr. morning a call to the pastorate of Reports of the committee on sta- young has not replied as yet, either

baptized during the year; 151 Ep- county, having been reared in the baptized during the year: 151 Epworth leagues, with a total member-ship of 5,473. Money raised by the conference for all purposes amounts to \$954,873. There are 550 Sunday schools with 4,953 officers and teachers.

The final report of the Board of Missions, read by Dr. John T. Myers, newly-appointed pastor of First country. He was pastor of the larger cities of the newly-appointed pastor. Jackson, Tenn., shows a baptist church in Ann Arbor, Mich., total appropriation of \$14,550. The

extension show a balance on hand at is anxious to return South for a the beginning of the conferece of pastorate. The law leaders of this \$825.75. Received on assessment, No- church express the hope and belief vember 11, \$7,938.38, making a total that Dr. Young will accept the call. They expect to hear from him on

ARMISTICE DAY PROGRAM

A large crowd gathered in the auditorium of the grammar school building last Friday evening to observe Armstice Day with a very fitting program.

Mr. E. H. McFadden, one of the most prominent business men of the city and a leading church layman, presided, introducing each member on the program. Hon, L. E. Gwinn was the principal speaker of the evening, delivering an eloquent and patriotic address.

The local Red Cross report was read to the audience by Miss Margarett Hawkins, home secretary of that organization, who made some timely and instructive remarks regarding the activities of the Red Cross in Tipton county. The musical numbers, including patriotic songs, was also a feature of the program, which was as follows:

America, High School Orchestra and Glee Club. Prayer, Rev. L. J. Sherrill. "Armistice Day," Jere Tipton. Voice Duet, Marjorie and Margue-

rite Lynn. Red Cross Report, Miss Mar-garett B. Hawkins. Red Cross Creed, Elizabeth Mar-

Voice Solo, Miss Gracey McNeely. Violin Solo, Mr. Halliburton. Reading, "In Flanders' Field," Lu-

rille Grimsley.

Reading, Miss Witherington. Chorus, Glee Club, Address, Hon. L. E. Gwinn. Reading "Kipling's Recessional,"

Eleanor Richmond.
Remarks, Mr. E. H. McFadden.
Star Spangled Banner, High School

DEATH OF W. H. PINNER

William H. Pinner, aged 72 years, died at his home near Garland at 8:30 o'clock Sunday morning, following an problems were considered as the next illness of several months. He was most important subject for the first a prominent and highly esteemed time Wednesday, citizen of the Garland community. "The naval hol funeral services at the family residence Monday morning at 10 o'clock, after which the burial took place in

Conference.

A. P. Smith, in the class of the fourth year, to the Upper South

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DRASTIC PROPOSALS FOR DISARMAMENT

STRONG CARD FIRST

Secretary Proposes That the United States, Great Britain and Japan Scrap Sixty-six Capital Ships-Other Powers May Agree To Undle Sam's Plan-Kansas City Post Says Wilson Has Triumphed.

More drastic and far-reaching ca's poposals were suddenly laid be-

A 10-year naval holiday is the proposal in short, and it was proposed by Secretary Hughes that the United States, Great Britain and Japan shall scrap 66 capital ships aggregating 1,878,043 tons. Within three months after the

conclusion of an agreement the United States would have 18 capital ships, Great Britain 22 and Japan tions respectively under such a plan would be 500,650; 604,450 and 299,-

TO DR. T. W. YOUNG Great Britain and 300,000 tons for factor in this. The Leader heartly

tons; great Britain 19 aggregating delegates and all town people desiring 583,375 tons and Japan 17 aggregation people desiring to people desiring

ing 448,928 tons. The figures include old ships to be Mr. Joseph C. Logan, assistant scrapped ships building or for which manager Southern Division, A. R.

the hall and all delegates rose. The president took up a place between Mr. Hughes and Mr. Balfour, and son, secretary Associated Charities,

States and Japan, Finances of the board of church tension show a balance on hand at the beginning of the conferece of beginning of the conferece of each tension show a balance on assessment. No
That all capital ships building or planned, be scrapped and the few but it has been ascertained that he planned, be scrapped and the few planned, be scr ratification of the agreement.

> be destroyed, reducing the British J. B. Brown, state superintendent of force to 22 battleships, the American Public Instruction; Mrs. Fannie B.

> capital draft can be laid down ex- W. C. Headrick, assistant manager cept under a detailed replacement scheme included in the proposal, Miss Mary Russell, secretary Associawhich would provide for ultimate ated Charities; Mrs. Camille Kelley, of the other two.

That all other naval craft be similarly provided for in the same ratio, specific figures for aggregate tonnage in each class being laid down.

to the controvertibility of commercial aircraft for war purposes. That no naval building of any character be undertaken in any of the three countries on foreign account during the life of the agree-

That no capital ships hereafter laid down exceed 35,000 tons. That the life of a battleship shall be fixed at 20 years and that ships to be replaced be destroyed before the replacement vessel is more than three months past completion.

That no battleship replacement whatever be undertaken for 10 years from date of the agreement. That no combat craft be required except by construction and none be

disposed of that it might become part of another navy. That regulations to govern conversion of merchant craft for war purposes be drawn up because of the importance of the merchant marine 'in inverse ratio to the size of naval

armaments." At the conference meeting Tuesday, Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan formally accepted in dramatic reader of the Lyceum vember 20. Mr. Killough has reprinciple and spirit the American proposals, pledging their adherence, and began discussions of details. The American proposals will form the basis for the discussions.

The Far Eastern and Pacific most important subject for the first "The naval holiday laid before the

Elder G. W. Tracev conducted the arms limitation conference by Sec-

arolina Conference.

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SOCIAL CONFERENCE

ATTEND MEETING

dist Church-Red Cross in Charge foot; South Maple street, \$4.058. of Armangements-Lunch To Be Served in Church.

Covington will entertain many peothan the most ardent advocate of ple of prominence on November 22, is in accordance with the law, state disarrmament dared to hope, Ameriwhen the West Tennessee Conferthe authorities. Also where drivefore the arms conference Saturday at the Methodist church. The one-day its first session by Secretary Hughes. session will be of special interest to ton, who wish to see the evils of disease, poverty and other bad social conditions eradicated. There will be a frank discussion of these problems, led by experts in their par-ticular fields, and questions from the but any property owner desiring to spared in making it one of the most floor will be welcomed.

dom has the opportunity to hear 10. The tonnage of the three na- such celebreties discuss these questions of vital importance, and it is affairs so that they can be present. Ships when 20 years old, might It is the duty of the people to see sx per cent, payable semi-annually, equipped building. be replaced, under the plan, and the that bad social conditions are im-replacement scheme is 500,000 tons proved, and that done immediately. Japan. No replacement ship could endorses this move of the local Red cross and proces all to other. The United States would scrap 30 luncheon will be served by the ladies capital ships aggregating 843,740 of the first Methodist church to the

Among those to be present are: material has been assembled.

A great burst of applause greeted

President Harding as he strode into That for not less than 10 years John DeWitt, president State Coun-State Board of Health; Mrs. H. L. That the older ships of each fleet Fox, deputy factory inspector; Hon. nessee Children's Home Society; Mrs. Claud-Sullivan, president Ten-That during the agreement no nessee Conference of Social Work; PROMINENT CITIZEN Chamber of Commerce, Memphis; Peterson, director Public Health Nursing; Miss Elizabeth Berr7, matron Leath Orphanage; Miss Helen Russell, director Out-Patient Mr. Simonton was a very promi-

Memphis. DR. LINDSEY HONORED

Dr. Lawrence J. Lindsey was diszation.

quired a very lucrative practice. He this city, and five grandchildren, has been a prominent and active member of the various medical societies throughout Tennessee for a number of years. We need hardly Blackwelder, of Mt. Carmel, assisted say that he will acquit himself ef-ficiently and admirably as vice-pres-R. W. Carson of Rosemark, conductsociation.

READING ARTIST

Monday evening, November 21, the local Chautsqua Club will present course.

Local people are very much interested in Miss Davault's appearance. Probably no reader in the country has aroused more genuine enthusiasm or given such deep enjoy-ment as Miss Davault with her appealing charm and rare versatality. Among her most popular plays are "The Music Master," "Polly of the retary Hughes is a triumph for Woodrow Wilson and the ideals for which he was crucified," said the whatever she attempts with the was crucified." Kansas City Post editorially Sunday. Fection which astonishes a most exacting critic.

next Sunday at the usual hours— Nashville, representing the Southern church is now 7 o'clock. Surety Co. in the contract with that church at night. He is the new pas-

Front Foot Levied For City Streets

The Board of Mayor and Aldermen SECRETARY HUGHES PLAYS IMPORTANT PERSONAGES WILL have completed the assessments of all the streets lately improved. The front-foot assessment on South Main Frank Discussion of Social Prob-lems At West Tennessee Confer-foot and on North Maple street and ence Next Week At First Metho- Sherrod avenue it is \$4.278 per front

The assessment in each improvement district is uniform, except at street intersections the corner lots pay an additional assessment to take care of the street intersections. This ence of Social Workers convenes at ways have been constructed a northe public spirited citizens of Coving- way has been added to the assess-

These assessments are all due in the spring. cash within 30 days from November oor will be welcomed.

Go so may pay the same in five instructive retail department stotes in West Tennessee. It would be a to waive any irregularities in the as-sessment and to pay the other in-In our neighboring city of Memphis hoped everyone will arrange their stallments in four equal payments, there is not a firm that can boast each to bear interest from date at of a more elegant and modernly

Only two protests or objections were filed to the assessment, one by departments was planned scientific-Judge S. E. Stephenson, as to the ally for the convenience and accomone on Maple Street, and one by Gen. modation of the customer. The base-John A. Tipton, as to his assessment on South Main street.

ANOTHER FIRE AT MASON

Mason was the scene of a disastrous fire last Thursday night, which threatened destruction of the whole trance from the street, is a beauti-

10 o'clock and was making a menac- for the ladies' ready-to-wear deing headway, when a bucket brigade partment, a ladies' rest room and was organized, saving the neighbor- lavatory and other departments. On ing structures by extinguishing the burning debris of the three buildings already leveled to ashes. The men worked and fought untiringly for several hours before the fire was completely under control.

competitive naval building cease as cil of Social Agencies, J. P. Kranz, between Great Britain, the United secretary Tennessee Anti-Tuberculosis Association; Mrs. John M. Kin- a total loss, nothing being saved ex- management to employ men and That all capital ships building or ney, president Tennessee League of cept the chairs. The damages women of morality and refinement.

frst occuring last summer, when ton, Morris Taylor, Elmer Lindsey, several brick buildings were lost. It Mesdames May Wood, Brown Lowwill be remembered that a distress enhaupt, Walker Shoaf; Misses Minto 18 and the Japanese to 10, each ship to be retained to be specifically nessee Children's Home Society; call was sent to the Covington fire department, to which that organization williams, bookkeeper. tion responded.

Charles Judson Simenton 59 years equality of the British and Ameri- judge Juvenile Court; Mrs. Alice of age, died at his home in Atoka ca fleets and for a Japanese force at Read Saxby, Administering Mothers' at 12 o'clock noon Tuesday, after 60 per cent. of the strength of either Pension, Shelby county; Miss Marie being in very feeble health for a

Department, Memphis General Hos- nent citizen of this county, having That naval aircraft be disregarded pital; Mrs. E. G. Willingham, presi- represented his district in the county the scaling down process as a dent Nineteenth Century Club; Mrs. court for a number of years. He was problem incapable of solution owing Herbert Halle Brooks, director an elder and a leading layman in American Red Cross Roll Call, all of the Presbyterian church for 20 years, being very active in the advancement of church work, and was highly esteemed by all who knew

> Mr. Simonton was born in Tipton tinctly honored last week by the ounty September 24, 1862. On De-Tri-State Medical Association at its ember 21, 1887, he was married to meeting in Memphis, when he was Miss Fannie E. McLaughlin, who elected vice-president of that organi- survives him, as do one son, Mr. Barney Simonton, of Millington, and Dr. Lindsey is one of the younger two daughters, Mrs. Bessie W. Boyd, physicians of this city, who has ac- of Atoka, and Mrs. W. B. Gragg, of

> ident of the Tri-State Medical As- ing the services. The burial took place thereafter,

PRESBYTERIANS TO HEAR REV. ALGERON, KILLOUGH,

. Rev. Alegrnon Killough, of Ripley, is to preach at the First Presbycently come to Ripley as pastor of the Presbyterian church, after a pastorate in Eminence, Ky. Mr. Killough has come to the

notice of the entire Southern Fresbyterian church through his sermons, which have been published from time to time in the Christian Observer, a religious weekly of Louisville which reaches a large number of people throughout the South.

It is planned that on Sunday morning Mr. Sherrill will preach in Ripley while Mr. Killough is in Covington. Each pastor is to preach in

HANDSOME BUILDING **NEARING COMPLETION**

COVINGTON SUPPLY CO. MOVES INTO NEW HOME

New Building is One of the Most Attractive Department Stores in West Tennessee-Equipment For Retail Dry Goods Business Modern and Scientifically Arranged-Officers and Sales Force.

With the installment of fixtures and a complete stock of goods for every department of the business, the Covington Supply Company is niffcent home erected on the same site where the old building stood be-fore it was destroyed by fire late in

The new structure is modern in 15th of December and by agreeing creditable retail institution if located

The arrangement of the various ment of the building will be devoted exclusively to floor coverings, china and glassware, cut glass and crock-ery. Mr. W. D. Williams and Miss Mattie Bell will have charge of this

business section. The fire, it is thought, had its origin in the Dixie Cafe, which was destroyed, with two other frame buildings next to it.

Traine from the street, is a heading to behold. The mathematical firm the street, is a heading to be a hought, had its origin in the Dixie hogany showcases, cabinets and mirrors add splendor in blending colors. Projecting from the walls a The fire was first detected about spacious mazzanine floor is provided

up-to-date order. The buildings laid to waste were the postoffice, owned by Mrs. Kate is a strong and experienced working Booker; the Dixie Cafe, property of Esq. J. J. Mann, and the barber been connected with the Supply

> The officers are: W. L. Shelton. president and general manager; S. R. Shelton, Jr., vice-president; W. V. ANSWERS SUMMONS McFadden, secretary and treasurer. Mr. Gordon Campbell is the sales auditor and cashier.

The Supply Company was organized here in 1889 and during their business operation of more than a quarter of a century the firm has steadily grown into one of the largest retail establishments in West Tennessee. Their success is due to the active and personal supervision of the officials of the company, who have devoted their time exclusively to the business. Their business reputation in Tipton county is an enviable one. This is due considerably to the quality of goods they have offered to their customers from time to time. It is a well known fact that the firm handles only the standard brands of goods on which their customers can rely.

Ever since the existence of the company they have played an important part in the public welfare of Covington and Tipton county, The stockholders are native Tipton count-ians, most of them being born and reared in Covington. Consequently they are Americans with and act in the spirit of America. Covington has reason to be proud of this great retail institution, which would be a credit to any locality.

LAWRENCE PAGE DEAD

The remains of Mr. Lawrence Page, aged 91 years, reached Covington from Marshfield, Mo., Saturday night for burial Sunday afternoon in Munford cemetery. Mr. Page died at his home in Marshfield on Thursday of last week, after a short illness. He was a former citizen of this county and left here for Missouri in 1906.

Mr. Page was born March 8, 1830, in Pitt county, N. C., moving with his parents to Tipton county in 1833, locating near Covington. Later he resided in the Clopton neighborhood. On February 6, 1853, he married Miss Artimissa Anne Montgomery. To this union 10 children were born, of whom four survive-Messrs. William, Lawrence and Alfred Page and

Miss Mattie Page, of Marshfield. Mr. Page was a gallant Confederate soldier, having served in Company I, 12th Tennessee Cavalry under command of Col. J. U. Green. He represented the 12th district for about 14 years in the Tipton county

orthwest Texas Conference,
The following were granted the D. Humphrey, D. C. Johnson, A. B. tor who succeeds Rev. J. W. Joyner. ton, arrived here Wednesday morn-ricksburg, Va., arrived Tuesday dence of Mr. J. H. Portner on Elm